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IN OUR 75th YEAR

Murray, Ky., Wednesday Afternoon, May 12, 1954

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Spring Rally Planned For 4-H Clubs

The 4-H Clubs of Calloway County are holding their Annual Spring Rally Saturday, May 15, at Murray High School. The opening exercises will be at 9:30 with a full day's activities scheduled.

The girls will have a dress revue in which they will model the clothing they have made as 4-H Club projects.

Water management team winners (for boys) will be announced during the rally, as the contests will be necessary to be conducted prior to Saturday. These teams have been trained in laying out terraces and fields for contour cultivation, and have done some of this work for Calloway County farmers.

In addition to the above, there are contests in which both boys and girls will be entered. A winning boy and girl will be selected from the speaking and demonstration contests, two boys and two girls from the electrical contest.

Winners in all contests except electrical will be given the opportunity to compete in the District Rally to be held in Paducah May 28, and if successful, they will go to Junior Week at the University of Kentucky, June 8 to 12, to state competition.

The boys and girls having the best electrical exhibit and understanding of basic electricity will be awarded with a free trip to a neighboring city this spring or early summer. The trip is being sponsored by the REA.

Athletic contests by individuals and club teams are scheduled for the last part of the afternoon session, and will consist of various relays and races.

French To Meet Communists At Fort

HANOI, Indochina (U.P.) — The French High Command ordered a French liaison mission today to prepare to fly to Dien Bien Phu for a dramatic meeting with the Communists to arrange the evacuation of 1,300 wounded French and Vietnamese soldiers.

The mission will include doctors to look over the wounded, engineers to survey the wrecked airfield where ambulance planes must land and staff officers to work out actual details of the operations with the Reds.

Military sources said the group probably would leave by helicopter Thursday. Red Gen. Vo Nguyen Giap specified that the French use helicopters in the initial meeting and asked that the French High Command give 24 hour notice of the flight.

The Communists reported earlier they had authorized "French medical services, from the nurses to the commander," to stay on at Dien Bien Phu and care for the wounded. The French dropped food and medical supplies earlier into the ruins, marked by a huge red cross made from red silk parachutes.

The Communist general broadcast his message after a French plane parachuted a message from French Gen. Henri Eugene Navarre onto the Dien Bien Phu airstrip proposing practical measures for the evacuation.

The Weather

By UNITED PRESS

Southwest Kentucky — Partly cloudy weather through tomorrow with continued cool weather today and tonight. A little warmer tomorrow with a two-hour shower in the middle of the day. High today will be 70 with a low tonight near 50.

TEMPERATURES

Low Last Night 45
High Yesterday 74

LAKE STAGES

Observed Change To
Station At 8 a.m. Midnight
Yesterday Tonight

Savannah	359.0	Fluct.
Perryville	358.4	Rise 0.7
Johnsonville	358.8	Fall 0.1
Scott-Fitzhugh	359.9	Fall 0.1
Egner's Ferry	358.9	Fall 0.1
Kentucky H. W.	359.0	Fall 0.1
Kentucky T. W.	305.8	Fall 0.8

French Union Troops Attack Units Near Capital City

HANOI, Indochina, May 12 (U.P.) — French Union troops today attacked Communist units near Hanoi, in places have closed to within six miles of this capital of the vital Red River Delta.

A French military spokesman described the new Communist threat to the rich Red River Delta area as "serious but not desperate."

Red units, in battalion strength, opened a series of probing attacks against Hanoi's outpost defenses Tuesday in a possible prelude to an all-out drive to crush this main center of French resistance.

The Communists seized Xuan-xuan, an outpost barely six miles outside Hanoi.

The French feared the Communist strategy might be to attempt to cut the highway and railway lines linking Hanoi with its port at Haiphong, 53 miles away, and starve the city into submission in the pattern of the Red River Delta.

French ground forces moved out at once to counter attack and smash the Red threat. French bomber and fighter planes also were ordered into a new series of air strikes at Red toe-holds and supply routes in the area.

County Lady Passes Away Early Today

Mrs. Johnny Cunningham passed away this morning at 12:30 o'clock at the Murray Hospital. Her death was attributed to complications following an illness of 11 days.

The fine wife and mother was 79 years of age and a member of the North Pleasant Grove Cumberland Presbyterian Church. She and her family resided northwest of Penny.

Survivors include her husband, Johnny M. Cunningham of Murray Route Two; two daughters, Mrs. Elaine Coleman and Mrs. Eloise Hackett of Murray Route Two; four sons, Oakland of Murray, Paul of Murray Route One, Ben and John of Murray Route Two; nine grandchildren; five great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at the North Pleasant Grove Church Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with the Rev. E. R. Ladd and the Rev. Earl Phelps officiating. Pallbearers will be Boyd Gaston, and J. D. Robinson, Charles and James Coleman, and Ted Cunningham.

The body will be at the J.H. Churchill Funeral Home until the funeral hour. Burial will be in the North Pleasant Grove cemetery.

Union City Steps To Top In Kitty

By UNITED PRESS
Union City handed Mayfield its first defeat of the season 10-4 in the Kitty League last night and moved into a tie for first place with the Cloisters.

Both teams have a 7-1 record. Allen Shinn starred for the Greyhounds with a two-run homer, a bases-loaded triple and a single as his team outthrew Mayfield 13-7. Manager Johnny Davis got three of the Mayfield safeties.

Jack lost its eighth straight game of the season to Owensboro 12-5 and has yet to register a win in the young season. Frank Gallo got credit for the Owensboro win. His teammates came up with 12 hits, including a 400-foot homerun by Rich Wendell.

Hal Seawright doubled home the winning run for Fulton in the eighth inning as the Lookouts took Paducah 6-5. Seawright had two doubles and a single in the game. Chico Bernal got credit for the mound victory.

Hopkinsville batters had a field day as they garnered 17 hits off three Madisonville hurlers and chalked up a 21-8 victory. John Campbell had a three-run round-tripper for the Hoppers in the fourth inning.

Tonight's games: Hopkinsville at Madisonville, Fulton at Paducah, Jackson at Owensboro, and Union City at Mayfield.

Twenty-six bombers, a big mission for the tiny air force decimated at Dien Bien Phu took off this morning to pound at supply depots around the communist-held village citadels between Hanoi and the sea along the supply route the Reds are trying to cut.

A high French general told reporters the situation in the Hanoi Delta was "serious but not desperate." These were the same words used at one time to describe the fortress of Dien Bien Phu and did little to ease the tension in Hanoi.

Today's plane attacks were directed at targets 35 miles south-east of here as the Rebels pushed steadily in on the delta triangle, the richest piece of Indochina territory still in French Union hands.

The French refused to disclose result of the counter-attack against the post on the outskirts of Hanoi seized Tuesday in a series of strong attacks from the west, but sent out the tiny French Air Force to bomb and strafe rebel positions.

The French High Command was reported to have ordered a French liaison team to fly to Dien Bien Phu Thursday to arrange for evacuation of 1,300 wounded French and Vietnamese troops there. It was believed evacuation would be delayed several days until the airstrip can be repaired.

Gen. Pierre Bodet, deputy to French Supreme Commander Gen. Henri Eugene Navarre, told a press conference Tuesday the rebel Viet Minh government is entirely under the control of Communist China. He said Peiping ordered the capture of Dien Bien Phu to open a path to Thailand and Burma.

Bodet said there was not any immediate danger to Hanoi and the Red River Delta, the heart of French military strength in Indochina, and called the situation "serious but not desperate."

He said that before the rebel divisions of Red Gen. Vo Nguyen Giap were in condition to make any all out attack on the delta of France-Vietnamese forces would be ready to defend it.

Giap's 100,000 Communists in the Hanoi Delta appeared to be making a major effort to cut Hanoi off from its port city of Haiphong, 58 miles to the east, and let it wither from lack of supplies. The Reds used the same tactics at Dien Bien Phu.

Women Still Friends After Husbands Shoot Each Other

SHAMROCK, Okla. (U.P.) — The wives of two men, who shot each other 16 times while the ladies attended a PTA meeting, said today they were still friends and knew no reason for their husbands' duel.

Meanwhile the men, Arthur Simpson, 32, and J. R. Johnson, 39, were in a Cushing, Okla., hospital in critical condition. Johnson suffered when they shot each other in a backyard duel Monday night.

Simpson was hit six times by 38 caliber bullets. Johnson was hit 10 times by 22 caliber bullets. "I don't think either one of them knew what they were doing," Mrs. Johnson said. She said they got together for a "drinking party" while she and Mrs. Simpson went to a Parent-Teachers Association meeting.

"If our husbands had just been present at the PTA meeting," Mrs. Simpson said, "nothing like this would have happened."

Building To Be Dedicated

The dedication service for the College Presbyterian Church sanctuary will be held on May 16 at the church. The service will be held from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. and followed by an open house.

A number of the members of the church Presbytery will take part in the service and will bring with them a number of people from other churches in West Kentucky.

The new building was built adjacent to the former building, and greatly alleviated the crowded condition in the church.

PRESIDENT HONORS SCHOOL PATROL HEROES



PRESIDENT DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER poses with School Safety Patrol teen-agers after presenting them with American Automobile Association "gold life-saver medals." The youngsters had risked death to save the lives of their schoolmates. The White House ceremony marked the opening of the 18th National School Safety Patrol Assembly and Parade in Washington. In the group (l. to r.) are: Richard Herdegan, 11, Audubon, N.J.; Douglas Lepley, 11, Phoenix, Ariz.; Nancy Cissel, 12, Silver Spring, Md.; President Eisenhower; James D. Wisner, 12, Buffalo, N.Y., and Robert Di Crista, 13, Brooklyn, N.Y. (International)

Frost May Have Halved Strawberries

LOUISVILLE (U.P.) — Last week's frost may have halved Kentucky's strawberry crop, U.S. Department of Agriculture officials said.

A report by H. F. Bryant, department statistician, said frost also damaged tender vegetables, such as beans, okra, tomatoes and sweet corn.

The upper leaves of potato plants were nipped, too, but they probably will recover, the report added.

One bright spot, however, was the fact that the state's fruit trees were largely unscathed.

Son Of Mr. and Mrs. Cohoon To Arrive In States

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cohoon have received word that their son, Jackie Cohoon, will arrive in San Francisco, Calif., May 21 if weather conditions permit the flight.

The young boy was injured while serving on the island of Okinawa and has been in a hospital in Tokyo, Japan. In the latest report no word was mentioned of his condition. He has been unconscious since his accident.

SMOKE OF BATTLE ON FALLEN FORT



A LONE SOLDIER can be seen running across the battlefield as French Union forces and Communist troops staged an artillery duel in the last days of the fortress at Dien Bien Phu, Indo-China. The stronghold fell after 59 continuous hours of fighting, when waves of screaming Red Vietnamese rebels swept over the outer ramparts of the central defense points. Below, French Infantrymen hurl themselves on the ground as enemy artillery barrage pounds the fort, which stood siege for 57 days.

Casualty Rate In Soviet Spy Network Mounts At High Speed

By CHARLES M. MCCANN
United Press Staff Correspondent

The casualty rate in the world wide Soviet Russian spy network has started to mount at a speed that must alarm the Kremlin.

A sort of chain reaction has set in. Key agents of the MVD, the Soviet secret police, have surrendered to the Allies in Japan, Australia and Germany within the last four months.

It is known that they are talking freely. It looks as if they are leading Allied counter intelligence agents to other men whom they have named as being on the MVD spy roster.

Two air force attaches of the Soviet embassy in London were reported to have been arrested Saturday. They were accused of attempting to get military secrets.

A Polish "refugee," who called himself anti-Communist, was arrested in Paris Tuesday. He was accused of spying for an unspecified Iron Curtain embassy.

It is highly unlikely that this crackdown on three alleged Communist spies within four days could have been a mere coincidence. Apparently somebody blew the whistle.

Charles against alleged Soviet spies in other countries — possibly including the United States — have likely within the next few months.

Yuri Rastvorov, chief Soviet spy agent in Japan; Vladimir Petrov, spy chief in Australia; and Nikola E. Khokhlov, spy agent in Germany, the MVD men who have come over to the West in the last four months.

Their defection undoubtedly caused the MVD to go over its lists of agents in foreign countries in an attempt to weed out any whose loyalty could possibly be questioned.

The charges against the alleged spies in London and Paris probably will cause the MVD to be a good bit more careful about its operations abroad. MVD agents themselves may think it wise to be more cautious.

Agent Rastvorov is supposed to have given United States counter-espionage agents information about the entire Russian spy set-up in Japan and Korea.

Agent Petrov is understood to have disclosed the names of Australian, as well as Russians, who spied for the MVD in Australia. Both Rastvorov and Petrov may have given information about espionage in other countries.

Agent Khokhlov is regarded as so important that he has now been brought to Washington to testify before the Senate Sub-Committee on Internal Security.

It was reported after Khokhlov's surrender in Germany that he gave information about Soviet espionage in many parts of Europe. He was questioned in London on his way to the United States. Now it is reported that he is prepared to give information about Soviet espionage in this country.

Father Of Bill Barker Dies In Bowdon, Georgia

Mr. J. W. Barker of Bowdon, Georgia, father of William Barker, of the Murray Electric System, died last night at one thirty o'clock of a heart attack. Mr. Barker had been critically ill for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. William Barker left last night for Bowdon. Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon.

Murray Will Join Nation In Observing Armed Forces Day

Armed Forces Day observances are being planned over the nation, with Murray being included in the celebration.

A full day's program is being planned here Saturday May 15, which will include drill by crack 11th Airborne troops and the local R.O.T.C. unit under the direction of Lt. Col. Wallace Hackett.

Exhibits will be placed on the square Saturday morning of equipment in use by airborne troops and infantry.

Elaborate displays of civilian showmanship and military prowess are planned for what is shaping up as the greatest Armed Forces Day observance in Second Army history.

Events ranging from horse-racing to beauty contests — from military open houses to parades are on tap in many of those 88 cities in the seven-state Second Army area. And the fever continues among military personnel from all service branches for the May 15th celebration.

The most satisfying result after weeks of preparation is the close team work of the Services — the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, Coast Guard and the Reserve Forces — and local community planning. Together with the display of unified military progress, citizens from Delaware, Kentucky, Maryland, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Virginia and West Virginia have thrown themselves into the Armed Forces Day program.

Here's what many thousands of American grownups and children will see on May 15th: In Louisville, Ky. — the horses will be running at famous Churchill Downs in "The Armed Forces Day Handicap." In Cleveland, Ohio — citizens are planning an Armed Forces Day Review at Municipal Stadium before the Indians' baseball game. Not to be outdone Dayton, Ohio citizens are featuring a beauty contest at which time Miss Armed Forces will be crowned.

Down in Huntington, W. Va., a mock air attack "Operation Shockers" is planned to point up to that city the need for better civil defense and the ability of strong reserve units to mobilize rapidly.

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put across an Armed Forces Day program. Local observances are supported, for example, by guns and equipment from the Army and Marines, ships from the Navy and Coast Guard, planes from the Air Force and marching troops and bands from all branches of the Services.

The Air Force is planning to send formations over 50 cities in the Second Army area. In addition to these flyover displays, the Air Force is complying with civilian wishes for helicopters—same type models of those used in the Korean War. The biggest air formation is slated for Virginia. Twenty three B-26 light bombers are expected to hit several project cities along the course. Other formations in the seven state area will be smaller — ranging from eight to 16 planes. Types of all the latest planes from jet fighters to heavy bombers will be on display for interested visitors.

In the second Army area most military installations have proclaimed open house for the local citizenry. Visitors will see the latest innovations adopted by the Army and what's happening with the taxpayer's dollar. They'll learn from visiting army camps in their area the teamwork of the Army, the role of the Army in the defense of the nation and the need for strong Army and Army Reserve units in this period of international tension.

Day camp for Murray Girl Scouts is being planned for June 7 and will be conducted five days in the city park, according to Mrs. Everett Ward Outland, commissioner. Mrs. Outland has recently been elected to this position. Mrs. Max Churchill resigned shortly after being elected in January.

Mrs. Arlo Sprunger is conducting a training class of nine mothers who will be the directors in the Day camp. These mothers are Mesdames Brandon Dill, Wayne Williams, Cook Sanders, Bill Wallace, Wayne Doran, Everett W. Outland, Neale Wheatley, Verne Kyle, Buddy Ryan, and Lavern Wallis.

Lessons in the training course included exploring, hiking, songs, crafts, Scouts' Own, and other recreation. Mrs. Outland said.

Mrs. Outland said that the Day Camp will be held "every day regardless of weather. She also assures the parents that a doctor will be called in case of emergency, a telephone being at the scout cabin makes this possible.

The experience of camping is offered to 129 Girl Scouts who are enrolled in the program here. The hours will be from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

St. Leo's Catholic Church will have a rummage and bake sale beginning at nine o'clock Saturday morning, May 15, in the Whitnell Building on the east side of the square.

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SOLVING DOMESTIC PROBLEMS

Lots of folks will be surprised that "Kissin' Jim" Folson was elected Governor of Alabama in Tuesday's primary without a run-off. Others will be surprised that Senator John Sparkman was reelected in spite of the feelings in Alabama over his name being on a "civil rights ticket" in 1952 as running-mate of Adlai Stevenson.

Likewise lots of people will have difficulty in understanding the endorsement of California democrats of James E. Roosevelt and Robert L. Condon in their campaigns for Congress, and they will be even more surprised if either, or both, are elected. And the chances are they both will be elected.

There is just something about politics we can't understand. We can't see why the people of Mississippi voted for the late Theodore Bilbo until he was claimed by death. But people in Mississippi understand it, just like those of Alabama and California understand why they insist on choosing their own representatives.

Millions of people are all worked up over the Army-McCarthy hearings now going on. But Bernard Baruch, 83-year-old statesman and advisor to several presidents, believes we will survive the hearings and emerge stronger as people, and as a nation. He thinks the hearings are necessary. All of which means we either like our form of government, and our way of life, or we don't.

Instead of blocking the election of Roosevelt and Condon the National Democratic leaders may vastly enhance their chances. We admire the national democratic authorities for the position they are taking—but it may not have the effects they desire.

We don't hear as much about "state's rights" as we once did, but it asserts itself every time a national organization, political or otherwise, attempts to dabble in local affairs.

The Communists may be getting a big kick out of the squabble between McCarthy and the Army. If they do it is because they know so little about America and our way of doing things.

There may be a better way for people to elect representatives. But there has never been a better system introduced.

Five Years Ago Today

Ledger & Times File
May 12, 1949

James W. Darnell, age 88, died yesterday after a short illness. Funeral services were conducted at Antioch Church of Christ today.

Murray has been chosen as the site of the 1950 meeting of the Western Kentucky Firemen's Training Association group.

The Young Business Women's Class of the First Baptist Church held a Mother-Daughter Banquet at the Baptist Student Center Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cochran and Mrs. Payton Richerson attended the funeral of their uncle, Jake Bailey, at Glasgow, Tenn., Monday.

The Advisory Council of the Calloway County Home-makers met in the assembly room of the Churchill Building Tuesday to plan the program of work for the next year.

Funeral services for J. M. Farris will be held at the Cherry Corner Baptist Church tomorrow. He was 89 years of age.

HEADS TOGETHER, MIKE 'GAGGED'



THEIR HANDS "gagging" the microphone, special counsel Ray Jenkins (left) and Senator John McClellan (D), Arkansas, confer at the Army-McCarthy hearing in Washington. Acting Chairman Karl Mundt (R), South Dakota, is in middle. (International)

Today's Sport Parade

By OSCAR FRALEY
United Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK May 12 (UP)—The departure from the majors of Johnny Lindell was an old story in the big leagues of baseball but one which always has its pathetic inflections.

Johnny actually was luckier than most. He had two separate careers under the big top, the first as an outfielder who knew World Series glory with the Yankees and the second as a pitcher.

It is those memories which will

keep him going as he travels back down the minor league hill.

There are a lot of old heroes out there in the "bushes" who knew the cheers of the big league fans and once were the center of national attention. Often people wonder why they do it, and generally the answer is "unvaried." Sure, some of them are "sick with it to eat. But all of these players seem to be as happy as the second string as long as possible because they love baseball and can't get it out of their blood.

Even the storied failures hope that somehow, someday, they'll make it back to the big time.

A Step Away

Many of them are actually but a step away. In a majority of cases the road is running the other way, but they refuse to believe it.

Those with the highest hopes are the crew of former major league circuits such as the Pacific Coast League, the International League and the American Association.

Take a look at the Pacific Coast League, for example. Out at San Diego there's Dick Slater, who was a pennant for the Phillies in 1950, playing side by side with Bob Elliott, once the National League's most valuable player. Teammates at Sacramento are Bob Dillinger, once ranked as one of the finest infielders in the big leagues, and two who had their shot with the Cardinals, Tommy Glavinio and Nippy Jones.

Remember Dino Restelli, who hit those sensational home runs for Pittsburgh one year. He's at Portland, along with slender Eddie Basinski, who gave the Dodgers a war-time lift. Dodger fans also remember Johnny Spider Jorgensen and Gene Hermanski—out at Oakland, with Chuck Dressen, another who drew his flattest walking papers. And still hoping at San Francisco is big George Vico, who never quite lived up to expectations.

Had It Once

Maybe you recall when Red Munger pitched a World Series win for the Cards against the Yankees. Well, he's at Hollywood, along with Mel Queen. And Joe Hatten and Cal McLean perform with anticipation at Los Angeles. So it goes, with rangy Clint Hartung, Ray Noble and Saul Rogovin at Havana and Ted Wilks at Indianapolis. Everywhere you look in the minors you'll find those who had it once, and anticipate having it again.

The odds are with those who shifted to the managerial side. Men like Dessen at Oakland, Gerry Priddy at Seattle, Whit Wyatt at Atlanta, Dixie Walker at Houston, George Selkirk at Toledo, Tommy Holmes at Elmeria, Clyde Klutts at Savannah, Dick Siebert away down at Litchfield of the Western Minnesota League and Pepper Martin, the old wild horse at the Osage, at Miami Beach. Those are the ones who have picked the easiest way back to the big top. For most of the others it's a dream—rather than a hope.

Major League Standings

By UNITED PRESS

— NATIONAL LEAGUE —

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Brooklyn	13	9	.591	
Philadelphia	12	9	.571	1/2
Cincinnati	14	11	.560	1 1/2
St. Louis	12	11	.522	1 1/2
New York	12	11	.522	1 1/2
Milwaukee	10	11	.476	2 1/2
Chicago	9	10	.474	2 1/2
Pittsburgh	7	17	.292	7

Yesterday's Results

New York 5 Cincinnati 4
Philadelphia 3 Chicago 7
Milwaukee 2 Brooklyn 0
St. Louis at Pittsburgh, p.m.

Today's Games

Cincinnati at New York.
Philadelphia at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at Pittsburgh, night.
Chicago at Philadelphia, night.

Tomorrow's Games

Chicago at New York.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia, night.
Milwaukee at Pittsburgh, night.

— AMERICAN LEAGUE —

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Detroit	11	6	.647	
Chicago	15	9	.625	
Cleveland	13	9	.591	1/2
New York	12	10	.545	1 1/2
Philadelphia	9	13	.409	4 1/2
Washington	8	12	.400	4 1/2
Baltimore	8	12	.400	4 1/2
Boston	5	10	.333	5

Yesterday's Results

Washington 5 Detroit 3.
Baltimore 2 Philadelphia 0.
New York 3 Cleveland 3.
Chicago 2 Boston 1.

Today's Games

New York at Cleveland.
Boston at Chicago.
Washington at Detroit.
Only games scheduled.

Tomorrow's Games

Philadelphia at Chicago.
New York at Detroit, night.
Washington at Cleveland.
Boston at Baltimore, night.

CONDEMNED KIDNAPER COLLAPSES



JOSEPH LEAR, 42, sentenced to death for the kidnaping of Leonard Moskowitz, realtor, is carried out on a stretcher after he collapsed in the county jail, San Francisco. Prison Superintendent Frank Smith said Lear was in the yard during the regular exercise period when he fell to the ground. Lear's partner in crime, Harold Jackson, 52, did not seem even startled about facing death. (International Soundphoto)

Stringbean Gene Proves To Doubters He's Major Leaguer

By CARL LUNDQUIST
United Press Sports Writer

Lean Gene Conley tossed a few fast curves today into the baseball gossip that he was just another minor league marvel who couldn't quite make it in the majors.

Stringbean Gene, the 6-foot, 8-inch rookie right hander of the Milwaukee Braves, is the only player in professional baseball history ever to be named twice as minor league "player of the year," but after two previous unsuccessful trials with the Braves, there seemed to be doubts as to his major league potential.

Tuesday night, with the poise of a veteran, he turned in the first shutout over the Dodgers since July 11 of last season, beating them 2-0 and striking out seven while walking none. It was his second straight route-going triumph and he was at his best with men on bases, striking out Duke Hodges with two on and Gabe Snider with one on in troublesome situations.

Conley had to be superb because until Joe Adcock homered in the sixth it was a scoreless battle. In the seventh the Braves scored again when Ed Mathews doubled home Danny O'Connell from first on a clout that even had the umpire arguing. It was ruled a double then a homer, then a double, and there was further dispute over whether O'Connell should have scored, and whether Mathews was out for going on past second into a Pee Wee Reese tag. It was ruled he did so after time was called.

Phil's Best Cubs
In other National League games, the Phils defeated the Cubs 5-7 in the 10th on a single by Del Ennis after Richie Ashburn walked and moved up on a wild pitch, while the Giants came from behind to top Cincinnati, 5-4, and the Pirates and Cards were rained out at Pittsburgh.

Bob Keegan made it four victories for Chicago when he sixkitted the Red Sox 2-1, and started a winning rally with a triple, while Yogi Berra clouted a two-run double in the ninth as the Yankees edged Cleveland 5-3. Joe Coleman pitched a two-hit 2-0 shutout for Baltimore over Philadelphia and Bob Porterfield pitched a four-hitter and hit a ninth inning homer in Washington's 3-3 win at Detroit in the American League.

Ennis drove in four runs in the Phils triumph, which was achieved after the Cubs had gone in front with a four-run seventh inning rally. Ralph Kiner had four Chicago hits.

Monte Irvin tripled home the winning run for the Giants in the eighth, after Willie Mays and Whitey Lockman hit earlier homers. Ted Kuszewski hit his 100th homer for Cincy, tying him for the major league lead.

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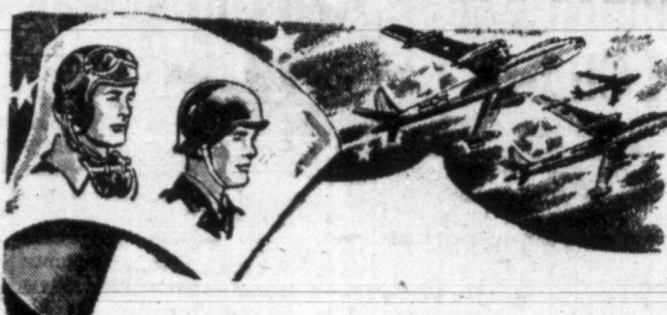
The principal ingredients of these all-purpose sprays or dusts are methoxychlor, malathion and captan. Experimental work conducted by the Entomology Department of the Kentucky Agricultural Experiment Station during the past two years showed that control of the common leaf chewing and sucking in-

sects, as well as mites, resulted from this combination.

Instructions on the control of insect pests have been published by the University of Kentucky and now are in the hands of county agents. See them for printed suggestions or write to the College of Agriculture, Lexington.

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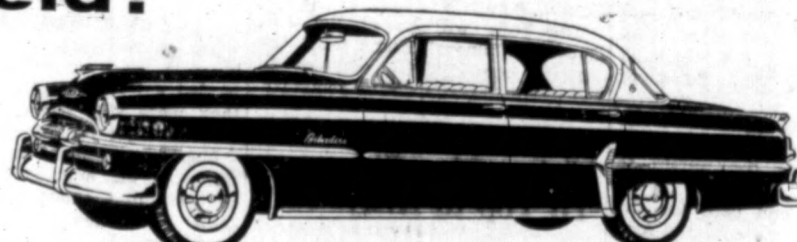
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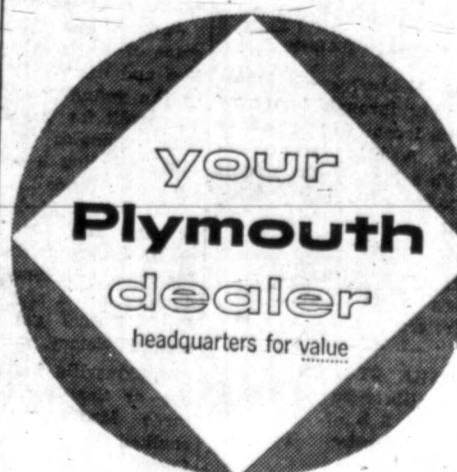
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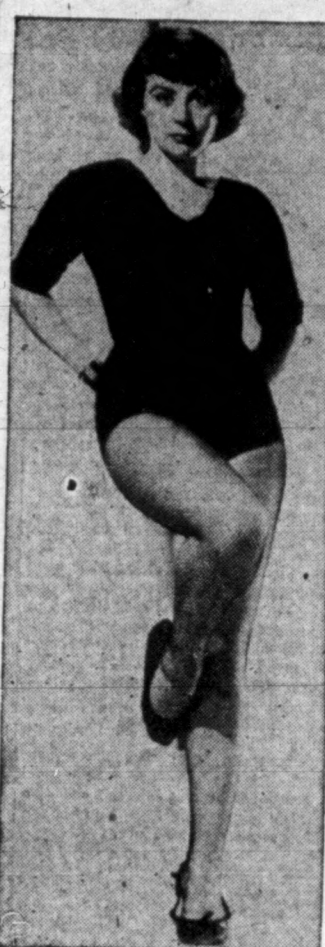
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'Society' Actress



CHICAGO SOCIETY'S loss is Hollywood's gain, it appears in this view of Frances Lansing, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ross Lansing of the Windy City. Miss Lansing is shown in Hollywood after signing a film contract, thus forsaking the Chicago blue book set and such things as swank horse shows, in which she has ridden hunters and jumpers.

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HARRY S. TRUMAN IS FETED ON 70TH BIRTHDAY



FORMER PRESIDENT Harry S. Truman cuts a mammoth cake at a party given in Washington on the eve of his 70th birthday. Watching the ceremony are his wife, Bess, and daughter, Margaret. About 1,000 persons, including Chief Justice Earl Warren, were at the affair. The fete was given by the District of Columbia Committee for the Harry S. Truman Library, Inc. The net proceeds will go toward the Truman Library, which will be built in Missouri to house the former President's papers. (International Soundphoto)

Kentucky Belle News

MAY 10, 1954

Hi folks,
It is time for me to be back again with some news, but very little news do I have this time. I hope everyone will enjoy reading what little news I do have as much as I have enjoyed writing it.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wade of Murray, are visiting relatives and friends in Memphis, Tenn.
Mrs. Myrtle Spinks and son, Jimmy, and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gordon and daughter of Summerset, were the past Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Simmons of Murray. Mrs. Spinks is a sister of Kentucky Bell.

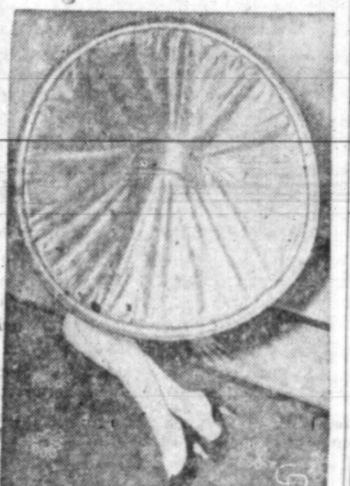
I received a nice mothers day gift Saturday through mail from my daughter, Mrs. Lucille Buey of Evansville, Ind. She also sent a letter saying my son, E. H. Simmons has been very ill with flu, but is better.

Mrs. Ruth Washburn, who has been by the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Moss, returned home the past week.

Johnnie Simmons, of Murray, spent Sunday with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Simmons of Hazel.
Mrs. "Jip" Agent of Puryear, Tenn., spent part of the week with her brother, Mr. Wiley Parks and Mrs. Parks of Murray.

Wiley Parks of Murray, Mrs. Maggie Burton, of New Providence and the former Mable Simmons of Dewitt, Ark., were Saturday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Simmons of North 13th Street.
I have received word from Detroit, that my brother Hobart Todd, who has been very ill with heart trouble is better.
Best wishes to all.
—KENTUCKY BELL

Beach Privacy



NOT A SUNSHADE or an umbrella, but a plastic beach hat, so big you can hide behind it, but yet it is said to fold up to size of a matchbox. It is shown at British fair, (International)

HEARING SCENES:



SOLE IN HIS WORK—A peek at McCarthy counsel Roy Cohn's shoes indicates he's been getting around. Look at that hole.



PEEK-A-BOO—No doubt thankful for a rest from the witness chair, Army Secretary Robert Stevens watches proceedings through crook of special Army counsel Joseph Welch's arm.

CORN PLANTED ON DRIED OUT GRASS

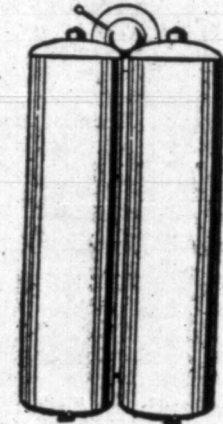
Drought damaged pastures in Meade county have been plowed up and planted to corn, notes UK County Agent R. P. Granacher. The corn acreage in the county will be sharply increased, he said. Most farmers are bidding should make 70 to 80 bushels if for high yields by having soil

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 12, 1954

WOMEN'S PAGE

Club News Activities
Weddings Locals

Jo Burkeen, Editor . . . Phone 55 or 694-W-3

Joint Meeting To Be Held Thursday Evening By The Woodmen Groups

In recognition of "Mother's Day," the Murray Woodmen Circle No. 128 and Junior Grove No. 9 will hold a joint meeting Thursday evening at seven-thirty o'clock at the Women's Club House.

The ritualistic work and program will be given by members of the Junior Grove with their president, Rose Marie Dyer, who was elected West Kentucky Junior Rally held in Hopkinsville, presiding. She will be assisted by the other officers and team of the Junior Grove organization that performed at the Rally.

Junior members and their mothers and all adult members are invited to attend the Mother-Daughter meeting Thursday evening.

Mrs. Wilbur DeJarnett Presides At Meeting Of Sigma Department

The Sigma Department of the Murray Women's Club held its regular meeting at the club house Monday evening at seven-thirty o'clock with the chairman, Mrs. Wilbur DeJarnett, presiding.

Presenting the program for the evening were four expressionists who gave the following selections: Mary Jo Oakley "Mary Elizabeth Gets A Scolding"; Melissa Trevathan, "Why Do Folks Pick On Me"; Phyllis Mitchell, "Poor Dolly"; Donna Murphy, "Tummy".

During the business session nine new members were voted into the department. The program for the coming year were discussed.

The hostesses — Mrs. Maurice Cress, Jr., Mrs. Tip Miller, Mrs. Gene Gearing, Mrs. James Gearing and Mrs. J. D. Murphy, served a party plate to the twenty-two members present.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR

Wednesday, May 12

The Murray Training School PTA will meet in the music room of the school at seven-thirty o'clock. The installation of new officers will be held.

The Business Guild of the CWF of the First Christian Church will meet with Mrs. O. B. Bague at seven-thirty o'clock. Mrs. Louise Jellison will be the program leader.

The Harris Grove Homemakers Club will meet with Mrs. Gary Myers at seven-thirty o'clock.

The Arts and Crafts Club will meet with Mrs. Bob Gavin, 1000 Olive Street, at two-thirty o'clock.

Thursday, May 13

The South Murray Homemakers

Relates Red Plot



PRINCESS ILEANA of Romania tells the House Committee on Communist Aggression, in New York, that the Red bosses of her country boasted they would conquer the United States. They planned to foment strikes and immobilize the nation's entire electric power system. She testified that Ana Pauker, one-time Foreign Minister of Romania, told her about Communist "strategy" to conquer America. The Princess, who came to the United States with her six children in 1950, now lives in Newton, Mass. (International)

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Club will meet with Mrs. S. V. Foy at one-thirty o'clock.

Mrs. Charlotte Whitnell will present her expression studies in a recital at the Murray High School auditorium at seven-thirty o'clock.

The Five Point Baptist Mission Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Ivie Todd at three o'clock.

The Wesleyan Circle of the WSCS of the First Methodist Church will meet with Mrs. Jerry Dent at seven-thirty o'clock.

The Annie Allen Circle of the WMS of the Memorial Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. S. E. Byler at seven-thirty o'clock.

The Intermediate Girls' Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church will have a Mother-Daughter Dinner at the Baptist Student Center at seven o'clock.

Friday, May 14

The West Haul Homemakers Club will meet with Mrs. Liburn Paschall at one o'clock.

The North Murray Homemakers Club will meet with Mrs. John Workman at one-thirty o'clock.

The Wadesboro Homemakers Club will meet with Mrs. Baron Palmer at one-thirty o'clock.

Saturday, May 15

The Captain Wendell Jory chapter of the DAR will meet at two-thirty o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. A. Turkey, 169 South Ninth Street, with Mrs. Roy Devine and Mrs. Price Doyle as hostesses. Please note the meeting place.

Mrs. Charlotte Whitnell will present her expression studies in a second recital at the Murray High School auditorium at seven-thirty o'clock.

St. Leo's Catholic Church will have a rummage and bake sale in the Whitnell Building on the east side of the square at nine o'clock.

Mrs. Hampton Brooks will present her piano pupils in a recital at the Little Chapel of Murray State College at seven-thirty o'clock.

Monday, May 17

The AAUW Book Group will meet with Mrs. Ed Duguid, Jr. at seven-thirty o'clock. Members please note change of date.

The Penny Homemakers will meet with Mrs. Ernest Madrey at one-thirty o'clock.

The Young Women's Class of the First Baptist Church will have a Mother-Daughter Banquet at the Woman's Club House at six-thirty o'clock. Reservations should be made by Sunday.

'Catholic Mother'



MRS. JOHN J. MURRAY (above) of San Francisco is "Catholic Mother of 1954." She is president of the National Council of Catholic Women of the archdiocese of San Francisco, has been married 41 years, has seven children, two of whom are priests. Her selection was announced by Dr. Edward A. Huth, University of Dayton sociologist who is president of the National Catholic Council on Family Life, (International)

Miscellaneous Shower At Waldrop Home Given To Honor Bride-elect

The home of Mrs. Wesley Waldrop on Miller Avenue was the scene of a lovely planned miscellaneous shower given in compliment to Miss Barbara Ashcraft, bride-elect of Mr. Max Brandon on Monday evening. Mrs. Waldrop and Mrs. Cleo Gillis Hester were the hostesses.

For the occasion the honoree chose from her trousseau a linen dress of honey color trimmed with rhinestones and her accessories were white. The hostesses presented Miss Ashcraft with a beautiful corsage of pink and white carnations.

The honoree was given a paper which gave statements and facts about her life which were in a question and answer form. These were filled in as near as possible by the guests. A tape recording was made of the entire evening which the group enjoyed hearing after the announcement of the recording was disclosed. The honoree is having a record made of the tape.

The house was beautifully decorated with arrangements of red roses and a bride and groom doll. Miss Ashcraft after opening her many lovely gifts placed them on a table overlaid with a crocheted cloth and centered with an arrangement of pink roses flanked by pink candles. A party plate was served to each one present.

Those present and sending gifts were: Mesdames Autry Fanner, W. J. Chason, Louise Dick, E. W. Riley, R. L. Bowden, Ruby Farmer, Otis Magness, R. E. Goodjohn, Julia Crago, A. F. Doran, Walter Jones, Matt Sparkman, John Keys and family, N. P. Hutton, Marshall Pardon, Nellie Mae Wyman, Lillian Hollowell, Sally Jones, Tennie Breckenridge, Vivian Hale, Martha Guier, Ola Brock, Mattie Trousdale, Bernice Frye, Beatrice Frye, Barbara Ashcraft, and the hostesses, Mrs. Waldrop and Mrs. Hester.

Vigil for Husband



COUNTESS Jacqueline de Castries is shown at her hotel in Hanoi, looking in the direction of the fortress of Dienbienphu, Indo-China, where her husband, Brig. Gen. Christian de Castries, was in command when the stronghold fell. The Communist Vietnamese Radio announced the capture of Dienbienphu and declared that "all enemy troops surrendered including those in the command bastion." (International Radiophoto)

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PERSONALS

Mrs. Lee Williams and son of Columbia Mo., are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Roberts of Murray, and her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Williams of Paris, Tenn.

Mrs. W. S. Johnston, mother of Mrs. Norman Klapp, is a patient at the Murray Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Todd Yates of Wickliffe spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Garva Gatlin.

Among those from Murray who attended the Audubon District Convention at Henderson on Thursday were Mrs. C. C. Farmer, Mrs. H. B. Bailey, Jr., Mrs. Ed Frank Kirk, Mrs. Fred Schultz, Mrs. Charlie

HERE'S HOW . . .

A wood fence is a more attractive and neighborly way of indicating ownership than is a "Keep Out" sign. It is generally respected, while a broken or rusted wire barrier is often ignored.

The post and rail fence has many variations, but the easiest to construct is made of 6 by 6-inch (or 4 by 4-inch) posts, set 10 feet apart, and 1 by 6-inch rails. Often the posts are 8 feet apart, and the rails are either 8 or 16 feet long. Rails may be left unpainted, or they may be painted or white-washed.

Many farmers obtain their posts from the woodlot, and purchase rails from the local lumber yard. The farmer should check with his lumber

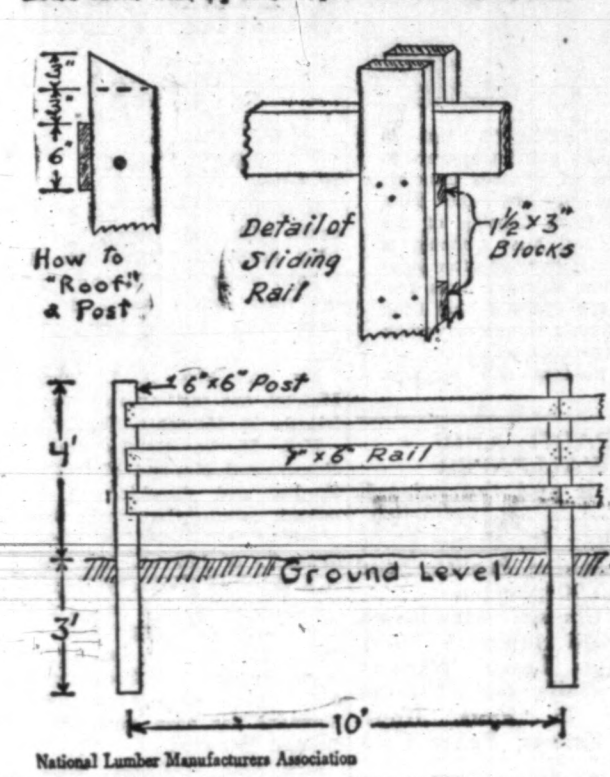
MAKE A FARM FENCE

dealer to obtain lumber most resistant to decay, or to obtain treated posts.

Posts are usually placed 8 to 10 inches apart, but where snow drifts are common, it is well to place the rails 10 to 12 inches apart.

Hinged gates are provided at frequently-used openings. A simpler entry for little-used areas is made by setting double posts so that bars of 1 by 6-inch lumber may slide out when access is wanted. A number of alling-bar openings may be made for the cost of one gate.

Needed tools are few—a post-hole digger; hammer and nails; hand saw and a carpenter's level for plumbing the posts and leveling the rails.



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PROGRAM FOR ARMED FORCES DAY

Program begins at 9 a. m. on Court Square with a display of military equipment during the morning. Planes will drop Certificates that will be redeemable by many Murray Merchants. From 1 to 2 p. m. A drill exhibition will be given by Battery "C" of the 11th Airborne Div. at Fort Campbell. The Exhibition will last throughout the day with Murray State College R. O. T. C. participating . . .

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cord's Court Judge John Rices all had law offices on that floor prior to their appointments.

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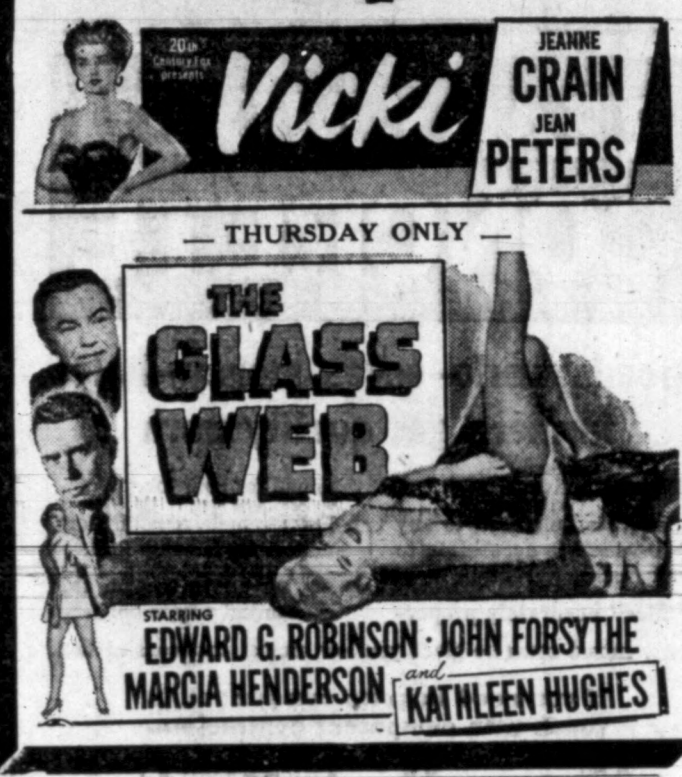
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North Fork News

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Paschall, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harding, Mrs. Paschall, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gallagher, Christine Morris, Hugh Limore, went to Memphis Sunday to give blood for Howard Morris, who will have an operation soon. Those who gave a pint of blood each were, Mr. and Mrs. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins, Charles Paschall, Robert Harding, Christine Morris and Grace Orr, and on last Wednesday, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. George Jenkins, Mrs. Gaylon Morris gave a pint of blood each. We want to thank each one of them very much. It means so much to him and we sure appreciate it. We also want to thank each one who offered blood that he didn't need. We appreciate them too. May God bless each one, is my prayer. A friend in need is a friend indeed.

Mrs. Clara Wicker is ill with mumps. She has also been suffering with an infected hand which she caught in the washing machine wringer.

Those visiting in the home of George Jenkins, Sunday were Mrs. Ella Morris and Zippora, Mike and Tommy Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Key, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sykes, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Orr and son, Mr. and Mrs. Oman Paschall, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Morris and son, Ralph Gallimore and son, Tony.

Mrs. R. D. Key spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sykes.

Mrs. Cooper Jones visited Mrs. George Jenkins Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Nance have moved back to their home here after being in Detroit for some time. We rejoice in having them back.

Mrs. Coy Nance is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Nance, in Detroit.

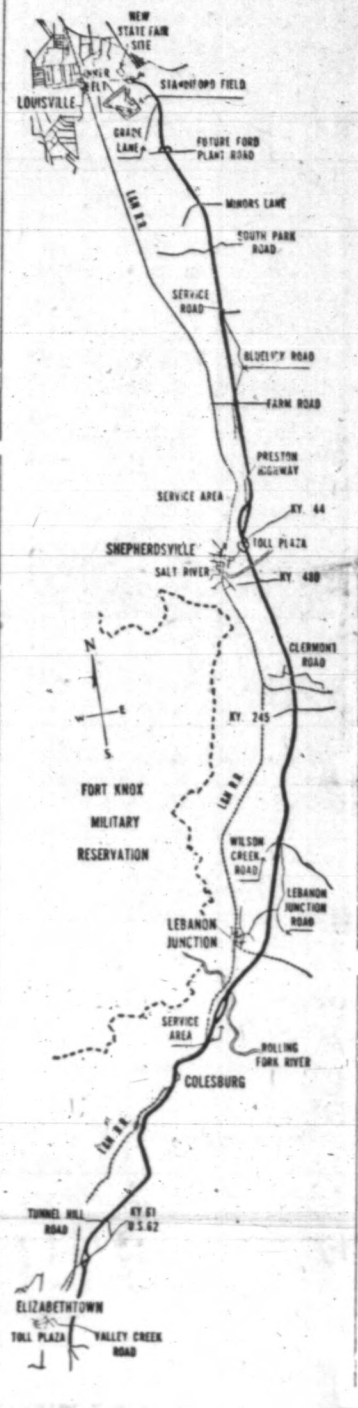
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gallimore and son spent the week end with Gaylon Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Key, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sykes visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Key Sunday afternoon.

Bro. Lassiter visited Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Paschall, Sunday. Mrs. Carlene Paschall and children, spent Sunday with Mrs. Ruth Paschall.

Kentucky Turnpike Announced From Louisville To E'Town

Frankfort, Ky. — The location of the Kentucky Turnpike, from Louisville to Elizabethtown, has been determined by final field



surveys, and acquisition of rights-of-way, which has already been started, will be carried to an early completion.

The announcement was made here today by State Highway Commissioner William P. Curlin. Surveys show the turnpike will be 40 miles from its northern end, in South Louisville, to Elizabethtown.

A traffic interchange will lead off the Henry Watson Expressway to the turnpike just west of the intersection of the expressway and Preston Street Road. The turnpike will parallel Preston Street road to a point near Grade Lane. From Grade Lane to the knob section north of Shepherdsville it will approximately halfway between Ky 61 and the Louisville and Nashville railroad tracks.

The first toll collection plaza will be located about three-quarters of a mile east of Shepherdsville where the turnpike intersects Ky. 44. A service area for filling stations and restaurant facilities is provided just north of the toll plaza.

South of Shepherdsville, the turnpike will follow a route east of and roughly parallel to the L. & N. line as far as U.S. 62 near Elizabethtown. It will join U.S. 31-W just south of Elizabethtown, near the junction of Ky. 61.

A second service area is planned near Lebanon Junction and Rolling Fork River. The second toll plaza will be located near the south end of the turnpike.

There will be major traffic interchanges at each end of the project and at the intersections with U.S. 62 and Ky. 44. Traffic at other points will be carried over or under the turnpike by grade separation structures.

Curlin said that work on obtaining rights-of-way is progressing throughout the length of the route and that the drafting of construction plans is under way. The turnpike is expected to be ready for traffic about 18 months after construction starts.

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The base of the A-frame is 33 inches across; the top is 12 inches across. To lay out the job, the craftsman should construct the frames flat on the floor, mark the position of each step, and then nail the 1 by 3 step supports in place. These may be marked off on the frame and thus simplify measurements.

Then the stair treads are screwed to the supports, joining the two frames together. Since the top will be used as handles for carrying, the top step should be fastened with screws and angle braces.

Drawing (B) shows the completed ladder. A pair of ladders is ideal for use as a scaffold.

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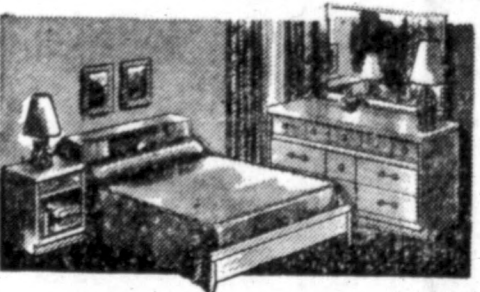
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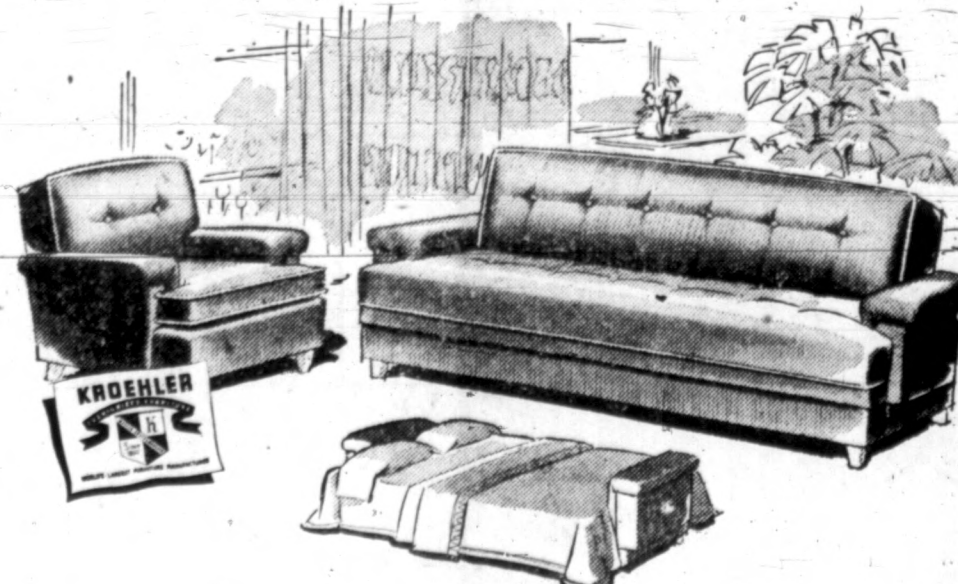
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